

The Federal Communications Commission

Dear The Federal Communications Commission,

For one blessed moment, can't you guys stop sticking it to the little guys? Please reject the "flat fee" proposal that would change how contributions are made to the Universal Service Fund. I got a Tracfone to supply myself with the least expensive cell service available -- and it is barely affordable!

If politicians pass this "flat fee" proposal, people who make few long distance calls would pay the same as people or businesses that make many calls. In other words, low-volume and primarily residential customers would bear the same universal service fund burden as a high-volume residential or business customers. This is unfair!

I use my wireless phone for safety, security and so that there is never a time when any of my five children cannot reach me. I don't want to lose these benefits so that big businesses can pay less than their fair share. I urge you to reject the proposal to move the USF collection system to a flat-fee.

I know the Bush administration is all about big business and its bedfellows in politics, but can't you please, this one time, give a fleeting thought to your constituents?

Sincerely,

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